

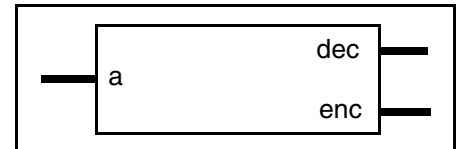
DW_lod

Leading Ones Detector

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Features and Benefits

- Parameterized word length
- Inferable using a function call



Description

DW_lod contains two outputs, dec and enc. The dec output is a decoded one-hot value of the a input vector assuming there is at least one 0 on a. The output enc represents the number of 1s found (from the most significant bit) before the first occurrence of a 0 from the input port a. All lower order bits (to the right) from the first occurrence of the 0 on the a input port are “don't care.” If no 0 is found and only 1s are present, the resulting value of enc is all 1s and of dec is all 0s.

The output port enc width is automatically derived from the input port width parameter, *a_width*, and is defined as $\text{ceil}(\log_2[a_width]) + 1$ as listed in [Table 1-1](#). Output port dec has the same width as the a input.

Table 1-1 Pin Description

Pin Name	Width	Direction	Function
a	<i>a_width</i>	Input	Input vector
enc	$\text{ceil}(\log_2[a_width]) + 1$	Output	Number of leading 1s in input a before first 0 All 1s if input a is all 1s
dec	<i>a_width</i>	Output	One-hot decode of input a All 0s if input a is all 1s

Table 1-2 Parameter Description

Parameter	Values	Description
<i>a_width</i>	≥ 1	Vector width of input a

Table 1-3 Synthesis Implementations

Implementation Name	Function	License Feature Required
cla	Synthesis model	DesignWare
rtl	Synthesis model	DesignWare

Table 1-4 Simulation Models

Model	Function
DW01.DW_LOD_CFG_SIM	Design unit name for VHDL simulation
dw/dw01/src/DW_lod_sim.vhd	VHDL simulation model source code
dw/sim_ver/DW_lod.v	Verilog simulation model source code

Table 1-5 Truth Table (*a_width* = 7, *dec_width* = 7, *enc_width* = 4)

a(6:0)							enc(3:0)	dec(6:0)						
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1111	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0110	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
1	1	1	1	1	0	X	0101	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
1	1	1	1	0	X	X	0100	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
1	1	1	0	X	X	X	0011	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
1	1	0	X	X	X	X	0010	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
1	0	X	X	X	X	X	0001	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
0	X	X	X	X	X	X	0000	1	0	0	0	0	0	0

Related Topics

- [Math – Arithmetic Overview](#)
- [DesignWare Building Block IP User Guide](#)

HDL Usage Through Function Inferencing - VHDL

```
library IEEE,DWARE;
use IEEE.std_logic_1164.all;
use DWARE.DW_Foundation.all;
-- If using numeric_std data types of std_logic_arith, uncomment the
-- following line:
-- use DWARE.DW_Foundation_arith.all;

entity DW_lod_func is
  generic (
    func_a_width : POSITIVE := 8
  );
  port (
    func_a : in std_logic_vector(func_a_width-1 downto 0);
    dec_func : out std_logic_vector(func_a_width-1 downto 0);
    enc_func : out std_logic_vector(bit_width(func_a_width) downto 0)
  );
end DW_lod_func;

architecture func of DW_lod_func is
begin

  -- Inferred function of DW_lod
  dec_func <= DWF_lod(func_a);
  enc_func <= DWF_lod_enc(func_a);

end func;

-- pragma translate_off
configuration DW_lod_func_cfg_func of DW_lod_func is
for func
end for; -- func
end DW_lod_func_cfg_func;
-- pragma translate_on
```

HDL Usage Through Function Inferencing - Verilog

```
module DW_lod_func( func_a, dec_func, enc_func );

parameter func_a_width = 8;

`define enc_width 4 // ceil(log2(func_a_width))+1

// Passes the widths to DW_lod_function
parameter a_width      = func_a_width;
parameter addr_width   = `enc_width;
`include "DW_lod_function.inc"

input  [func_a_width-1 : 0] func_a;
output [func_a_width-1 : 0] dec_func;
output [`enc_width-1 : 0] enc_func;

// Function inference of DW_lod and DW_lod_enc
assign dec_func = DWF_lod(func_a);
assign enc_func = DWF_lod_enc(func_a);

endmodule
```

HDL Usage Through Component Instantiation - VHDL

```
library IEEE,DWARE;
use IEEE.std_logic_1164.all;
use DWARE.DW_Foundation_comp.all;
use DWARE.DWpackages.all;
-- If using numeric_std data types of std_logic_arith, uncomment the
-- following line:
-- use DWARE.DW_Foundation_arith.all;

entity DW_lod_inst is
  generic (
    inst_a_width : POSITIVE := 8
  );
  port (
    inst_a : in std_logic_vector(inst_a_width-1 downto 0);
    dec_inst : out std_logic_vector(inst_a_width-1 downto 0);
    enc_inst : out std_logic_vector(bit_width(inst_a_width) downto 0)
  );
end DW_lod_inst;

architecture inst of DW_lod_inst is
begin

  -- Instance of DW_lod
  U1 : DW_lod
    generic map ( a_width => inst_a_width )
    port map ( a => inst_a, dec => dec_inst, enc => enc_inst );
end inst;

-- pragma translate_off
configuration DW_lod_inst_cfg_inst of DW_lod_inst is
  for inst
    end for; -- inst
end DW_lod_inst_cfg_inst;
-- pragma translate_on
```

HDL Usage Through Component Instantiation - Verilog

```
module DW_lod_inst( inst_a, dec_inst, enc_inst );

parameter a_width      = 8;
parameter enc_width    = 4;  // ceil(log2(a_width))+1

input  [a_width-1 : 0] inst_a;
output [a_width-1 : 0] dec_inst;
output [enc_width-1 : 0] enc_inst;

    // Instance of DW_lod
    DW_lod #(a_width)
        U1 ( .a(inst_a), .dec(dec_inst), .enc(enc_inst) );

endmodule
```

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